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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for submitting an appeal brief pursuant to the Notice of Appeal filed on November 20, 2006 in connection with the above-captioned application be extended for 5 months, to and including June 20, 2007.

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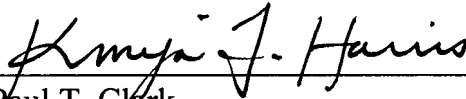
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